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PROPOSE TWO CHANGES IN CONSTITUTION OF STATE CAUCUS SELECTS SAUNDERS FOR SUPREME BENCH URGES 100-MILLION DOLLAR ROAD-BUILDING PROGRAM

ANDERSON POINTS OUT STATE'S NEEDS

Former Attorney-General Tells Road Convention Delegates to Aim High.

ROBERTS SEEKS MORE FUNDS

Bristol Good Roads Advocate Would Tax Automobiles \$1 Per Horse Power.

Declaration by former Attorney-Gen-ral William A. Anderson, of Lexington, hat what Virginia needs is a \$100, ,000 program for building roads, and
introduction of a resolution by
ary Roberts, of Bristol, proposing
to the automobile tax be raised to \$1
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yesterday's session of the annua
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The need for better highways in a rinia was brought forcefully to the it ention of the delegates assembled by half-dozen speakers. At the ban uset last night Jack Lee, of Lynch ours, declared that Virginia will note able to get good roads or to adarance the State to the place it should accupy in rank with other Commonwealths unless people back what is sood, what is noble, what is high and what will tend to keep peace.

Need of even a few good roads, which are hard surfaced, and which will stand up in rain or drough, conceting the center of the State with other sections was expressed by Mr. Lee.

Mr. Lee was one of the repeakers who made short addresses in the absence of Governor John J. Cornwell, of West Virginia, who is ill at his home with a cold.

Advocates Hig Program.

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He was preceded by Major William A. Anderson, of Lexington, who declared that what Virginia needs is a \$100,000,000 program for building roads, which will supply most of those which are required.

"We must educate the people to stand more taxation," he said, making his point that money to build roads must come out of the pockets of the residents of the State.

"Every dollar which is appropriated by the Federal government for good roads should be matched by a dollar from the people of the settion in which the road is to be built so that twice as, much can be constructed and be of benefit fo all." he concluded:

A total of 152 delegates to the convention were served last night. The main dining-room of the hotel had been reserved and was filled. Before the specches an orchestra played the national anthems of the United States and France, while Old Glory was lowered from a wire across the room, and a vocalist sang the songs.

S. L. Lupton, president of the association, acted as toastmaster and introduced the speakers,

Swanson Umble to Attend.

During the afternoon session it was announced that Senator Claude A. Swanson, who was to have delivered the principal address, could not be present, Mrs. Swanson being ill in Minnesota, and he having gone there.

Several others, however, made talks on varying interests of good roads.

surfaced roads leading into all parts of the State.
Senator J. E. West was another speaker of the afternoon session. He declared that there must be larger appropriations by the Federal government for road construction. The people must talk results, he said, and put up enough money to get them by education and exitation.

agitation.

Gives People Their Money Back.

The Federal government has taken away from the State most of its large sources of income by taxes, such as the inheritance and income taxes, and the people should demand of the central government more of their money back in the form of appropriations for good highways. He concluded by declaring that a bond issue must be floated in Virginia to get the needed roads.

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A. J. Batchelder, executive secretary of the American Automobile Association, declared that he has quit routing tourists through Virginia because of the poor road conditions. He says he has traveled over a good part of the State, and nowhere are there places which have more beautiful scenery than in the Shenandoah Valley. or more historic spots than are to be found all over the State, but, due to the bad roads, it is almost impossible for the tourist to get around.

New England was cited as an example of what good roads should be all of the States in that part of the Union have adopted a universal system of route markings, have hardsurface roads, and the money spent by ourists run through the States.

Will Work to Amend Constitution, S. L. Lupton, president of the association, said that the organization is going to do two things—work for a change in the Constitution of Virginia which will permit bond issues for better roads, and then have the bond issue. The change of these will be taken up first and thoroughly finished hefore the second is taken up, as try
(Continued on Second Page.)

Jury Brings in Verdict of Murder in Second Degree at Los Angeles.

[By Associated Press.]

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 15.—The jury in returned a verdict of murder in the second degree in the case of Harry S. a New here today. New was charged with the murder of Miss Freda Lesser in July.

GREAT POSTAL BILL PASSES

**WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—The largest post-office appropriation bill ever presented, carrying \$460,977.868 for maintenance of the department during 1921, was passed today by the House.

Will Titt Lid Slightly.

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Bryan Defines Two-Thirds Rule for Casting Vote

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15,—"If the Constitution were being rewritten, in the light of present-day sentiment, I think a majority would be able to terminate a war," said William Jennangs Bryan.

"I have been asked how the Demogration "I have been asked how the Demo-cratic party could enable the ma-jority to cast the two-thirds neces-sary for ratification. The answer is that two-thirds of a quorum can ratify if a quorum is pres-ent, in other words, a two-thirds vote is two-thirds of those present and yoting.

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"The Democrats simply by refusing to vote would make it possible for a majority of the whole Senate to east the two-thirds vote necessary to ratification.

"If any one thinks this plan I have outlined is a concession to the Republican party he has not thought the matter through, Vielding to the majority in this country does not mean either an approval of what the majority does or the ending of the contest. It is simply the acquiescence in the will of the majority, which Jefferson says is the light rule of the republic, from which there is no appeal except to force."

BANKING POWER SCATTERED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—Decentrallzation of the country's banking power
is indicated in an analysis of the natlon's banking resources issued tonight by John Skelton Williams, Comptroller of the Currency. Of the 120
national banks with resources above
125.600,000 each, twenty-two are in
New York, while, twenty years ago, the
statistics show, fourteen of the nineteen banks in this class were located
in that city. The 120 banks covered
in the analysis are scattered in thirtynine cities as compared with the centralization of the nineteen large banks
in five cities in 1899.

Twenty-three banks having resources
above \$25,600,000 each are in Maryland,
the District of Columbia and the Southern States divided among the various
cities as follows: Baltimore two, Washington one, Richmond five Norfolk one,
Dailas three, Houston two, Fort Worth
two and Tuiss one.

CLEMENCEAU DECIDES

In Mr. Bryan's talks with Democratic Senators and in the meeting of
Senator Hitchocok and others with the
Republican leaders, there was one
point of unanimity which is regarded
as highly significant. Mr. Bryan carried to the Capitol his disagreement
with President Wilson on the question
of ratification and the Democratic Senators who met with Senator Lodge
ators who met with President with

CLEMENCEAU DECIDES TO MAKE RUN FOR THE FRENCH PRESIDENCY

Premier Permits Friends to Place His Name Before Today's Plenary Caucus.

ceau has accepted nomination for the pointed nounced tonight.

Several others, however, made talks on varying interests of good roads. The first was H. G. Shirley, secretary of the Highway. Industries Association, of Washington.

He declared that the matter of good roads had passed beyond the control of the county and State. It is now a national problem, and as such there should be some one hald by the Federal Sovernment whose sole duty it would be to look after the need of better for roads all over the United States. Such a man, he declared, would be of great use, for he could suggest and plan roads which would benefit larger communities.

Mr. Shirley pointed out that while the Federal State ald bill has undoubted by the Federal State ald bill has undoubted been of great help to many communities, it has a joker, in that the matter of good roads, for the Federal roads must be the shortest possible for the use of the mail trucks, and will not be of help to all.

Mr. Clemenceau formally authorized his would have a better position on the toplace his name becould suspend the federal state of pleany caucus of the Congress of Versailles to pleae his name become the control of the country and State. It is now a national problem, and as such there should be some one paid by the Federal State of better the mondate entrusted to him.

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Regular Appropriations Bills May Pass Before April 1, Mondell Announces.

Need of a national highway system is great, he said. The State highway engineer should build roads which will be of benefit to the State and the mation and not any one particular community. The Federal aid to the State is similar to the State aid to the county, and all should co-operate in proper use of the money appropriated, he said.

Virginia, he declared, will not get the share of prosperity due her unless she builds good roads. Many are the natural endowments of the State, he said, but the gifts which nature has given cannot be turned into money unless there is a proper system of hardsurfaced roads leading into all parts of the State.

Senator J. E. West was another

BUFORD NEARS DESTINATION

Soviet Ark Will Reach Baltic Port Today, Officials at Washington Announce.

[By Associated Press.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—The "Soviet
ark" Buford, carrying undesirable alien
deported from the United States, will
reach her European destination tomorrow, officials here said tonight. They
would not reveal the port to which
the ship is bound.

HARRY S. NEW IS GUILTY

BRYAN MAKES BOLD MOVE | EUROPE FACES NEW WAR, TO SNATCH LEADERSHIP

Visit of Commoner to Capitol Open Allies Call Hurried Consultation at Declaration of War on President.

URGES TREATY RATIFICATION POLAND MAY SOON FACE CRISIS

to Accept Best Compromise Possible or Dodge Vote and Let Republicans Win Out.

BY JAMES R. NOURSE.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15 .- A visit to the Capitol by William Jennings Bryan to urge Democratic Senators to agree with the Republicans on compromise reservations to the peace treaty, and a bipartisan conference called by Senator Lodge to discuss the vital points

Mr. Bryan's appearance at the Capi the fight between him and the President for control of the party's policies

ON FINANCES OF COUNTRY

At the close of the conference, Senator Lodge said that although no real progress toward an agreement had been made, the outlook was "considerably improved."

Revolt Against Wilson Grows

Bryan Suggests Way Out.

If by either process ratification should be accomplished, the President might refuse to submit the treaty to the other nations.

Mr. Bryan in his talks with the Democrats submitted for their approval two suggestions as to how they should act on the treaty. He advised that they either agree with the Republicans on the best form of compromise obtainable and allow the treaty to be ratified, or absent themselves when the vote on ratification is taken, so that the Republicans themselves might cast a two-thirds vote and ratify the treaty. PARIS, Jan. 15.—Premier Clemen- a two-thirds vote and ratify the treaty.

The effect of this course, Mr. Bryan a pointed out, would be that the treaty B the treatey alone and the Democrats would have a better position on the treaty issue than if they were obliged to make their campaign on the proposition of ratifying the treaty in its present form, as demanded by President Wilson.

Bolshevist situation in the Near East, which would mean military commitments, according to expert opinion based on official advices from the theaters of war.

The Bolshevist occupation of Transported with the state of the state

FLU STIRS CHICAGO UP

Four Death sand 300 Cases Alarm Health Authorities of Windy City.

(By Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, Jan. 15.—Chicago's influenza and pneumonia situation today stirred the Health Department to increased activity. Four deaths from influenza and sixteen from pneumonia and 390 influenza and 115 pneumonia cases were reported during the day. Health Commissioner Robertson will divide 3,000 graduates of his nurse schools into squads, and will have nurses in every part of the city. As soon as an influenza case is reported the house will be tagged.

At the Great Lakes naval training station 475 cases of influenza were reported today, but only one death has occurred.

RESULT OF SOVIET DRIVE

Paris to Consider New Menace to Nations. Property Owners for

Advises Democratic Senators Either Bolshevist Armies, in Control of European Russia, Expected Soon

to Launch Campaign Westward to Recover Baltic Provinces. [By Associated Press.] LONDON, Jan. 15 .- Before peace with Germany is a week old the British public has been brought up sharply

against the possibility of another Winston Spencer Churchill, Secretary for War; Walter Hume Long, in the Lodge reservations, were today's First Lord of the Admiralty; Baron developments in the treaty situation in Beatty, commadner of the Grand Fleet, the Senate.

Beatty, commadner of the Grand Fleet, and Field Marshal Sir Henry H. Wilchief of the imperial staff, left was notice to the country that London tonight, having been hurriedly fight between him and the Presi-summoned to Paris for a consultation

summoned to Paris for a consultation with Premier Lloyd George and other British officials there on important military and naval matters.

Boishevist Situation Menacing.

This summons is inevitably connected in the public mind with the semiofficial statement published today calling the attention to the threatening situation in the Middle East as a result of Bolshevist military successes, which have given the Soviets virtual mastery of the whole of European Russia, for, although it is not yet confirmed that they have entered Odessa, it is believed it cannot be long before they are in full possession of the coast regions in that vicinity.

By their victories the Bolshevists have obtained command of enormous supplies of food, raw materials, coal and rolling stock and other means of transport of which they formerly were in need.

May Turn to Attack Poland

ters of war.

The Bolshevist occupation of Trans-Caspia may be regarded as virtually complete.

JUBILEE CONVENTIONS TO WATCH BIRTH OF NATIONAL DRY ERA

Reform Associations to Celebrate Advent of Constitutional Prohibition.

For Suits Must shrink

Federal Attorney Asserts Government
Proposes to Learn Cause
of Advance.

[By Associated Press.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 15.—Members of the National Association of Retail Clothing assistant to Attorney-General public conventions here will hold numerous meetings throughout the day and will watch the advent of constitution griess are going down withing the high cost of living that prices would have to come of the nation's green and convention as transfer of the Sunate Coloning prices are going down withing the high cost of living that prices would have to come of the nation's green and conventions here will be another speaker.

A lighter side to the watch-night coloning prices are going down withing the high cost of living that prices would have to come of them to prevent that see speaker.

A lighter side to the watch-night coloning prices are going down withing the next six months, I repeat that they should go down. There is something wong somewhere, just where I cannot see the record and produced by Washington correspondents, entitled. "Washington correspondents, ent

\$30 a Pint for Life-Giving Fluid.

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—Men who sell their blood for transfusion operations struck for more money today at the Plower Hospital. They demanded \$55 a pint for blood. \$30 more than they received two weeks ago, since which time the price has increased to \$40.

Student nurses responded as strike-breakers. Ten minutes after the strike started one nurse was on the operating table as a surgeon performed a transfusion, and the hospital received a pint of blood free. Two hours later the nurse was attending a clinic.

The strike was broken. Professional blood donors were on the joh today at the old wage. [By Associated Press.] sell rate groups.

FOR SPECIAL LEVIES

Authorizes Cities to Tax Abutting Improvements.

OTHER PERMITS BOND ISSUES

Second Amendment Permits State to Create Debt to Finance Road Building.

To permit cities and towns to levy special assessments on abutting land owners for street or other public local improvements, Senator J. T. Deal, of Aerfolk city, introduced in the Senate yesterday a joint resolution calling for the amendment of these special levies. In the House of Delegates, a resolution to permit of these special levies. In the House of Delegates, a resolution was offered to amend the Constitution to make it possible for the State to issue bonds for road building. Presentation of these Joint resolutions featured the second day's session of the General Assembly. In both branches of the Legislature, organization is being perfected. The steering committee of seven in the Senate announced the standing committees of the House shortly after it convenes this morning at 10 ociock. Start Prohibition Department Fight. It was learned last night that the bill providing for the aboilition of the State Prohibition Department would probably be introduced today in the House and similar action may follow in the Senate. The fight over the discontinuance of the Prohibition Department would probably be introduced today in the House and similar action may follow in the Senate. The fight over the discontinuance of the Prohibition Department and the amendment of the Constitution to permit of the levying of special assessments are expected to be close and bitter. resterday a joint resolution calling for

dealing Great School for Boys.
Senator Garrett offered bills for the serious ar East committee Girls, at Peake, Hanover County and the Virginia Manual Labor School for Colored Boys, at Hanover. All three of the bills were referred to the Finance Committee.

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To Correct Errors in Printing.
Delegate Stephenson. of Bath County, submitted twenty-five bills in the House from the Code Revision Committee to correct typographical errors in the document. Senator Leedy offered four bills for amendment and re-enactment of sections of the Code. Resolutions were adopted in both houses providing that members of the Assembly be furnished with copies of the Code and that two be furnished to the Attorney-General.

Delegate J. Lindsay Gordon, of Louisa, offered a joint resolution urging members of the Senate and the House not to introduce identical bills in both branches at the same time because this procedure would encumber the records and congest the calendars. The Senate concurred in this resolution. It was set forth in the senate concurred in this resolution.

Members of both the House and the Senate gathered on the south portico of the Capitol after adjournment yes-terday and were photographed in sepa-

LEAVES PORT OF FIUME

UNDER CONTROL OF LEAGUE

Premier Nitti Declares Solution of Jugo-Siava.

Problem is Now Up to Jugo-Siava.

Ity Associated Press.]

PARIS, Jan. 15.—The settlement of the Adriatic question now lies exclusively with the Jugo-Slavs, Premier Nitti of Italy, said this evening, as the agreement, which was sent to Belgrade for approval yesterday, shows that Frauec, Great British has been communicated to Washington, where it is hoped it will receive favorable in the promote of the league of nations.

Referring to the text of the compromise, Premier Nitti said that Italy offered to leave the port of Flume and the railways at Sussak under control of the league of nations.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—Extension to Congress the league of nations.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—Extension to day in deciding complaints of the railroad for compromise the mails was prescribed in new regulations issued by the important of compromise probably the probably Elmer Shaffer, will be arraigned in new regulations issued by the interface of contents the mine workers are irresponsible as an association, and will not keep the ways of the commission to prove the proof of the league of nations.

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Jam. 15.—Jam. ATLANTA, Jan 15.—Burning of John Barleycorn in effigy, planned by temperature of seeies at a downtown cortained from the relin says that riots and mutinies have broke out among the S. French naval dorces and troops at 1 Toulon, the military and naval port of France on the Mediterranean. The uprisings were caused by insufficient bread supplies, the message asserts

Prince S.II: Eggs to

PARIS, Jan, 15.—The French egg market received a sensational joit today, when "his royal highness," Prince Louis de Bourbon, direct heir of forty Kings, entered the hen-fruit field, flooding the market with fresh of forty Kings, entered the hen-fruit field, flooding the market with fresh eggs at record-breaking low prices.

"There is too much profiteering in eggs these days," the prince announced. "Hy intelligent poultry farming, I have succeeded in maintaining hens at the cost of I cent daily. Each hen gives me a minimum of 150 eggs annually. Therefore, I can afford to sell eggs and will make good profits at slightly over 2 cents apiece.

"Owing to the excellence of the results I have achieved so far, I latend to devote myself to poultry larming on a large scale. I shall supply not only France, but enter the export field."

\$100,000 FOR GYMNASIUN

MRS. MILLHISER INCREASES GIFT TO RICHMOND COLLEGE

Memorial to Son Who Died in Service and Girls' Dormitory to Be Built at Once.

For the construction of the Roger Memorial Gymnasium Richmond College, the sum of \$100,000 This total was reached yesterday when Mrs. Clarence Millhiser supplemented the \$60,000 gift of her husband with a donation of \$40,000 for the erection of a modern college gymnasium in memory of their son, Roger, a former student of Richmend College, who died while in ser-Announcement of the gift by Mrs.

Millhiser was made last night by Dr.

ment and rolling stock and other means of transport of which they formerly were in need.

May Turn to Attack Poland.

Speculation is active in the European capitals as to what will be the next move of the Bolshevist. It ill of clock today instead is repeated as certain that, flushed with success, they will not be content to the belief that their next move of the Bolshevist. It ill of clock today instead is reserved as certain that, flushed with success, they will not be content to the belief that their next move of the Bolshevist. It ill of clock today instead is repeated to be with success, they will not be content to the belief that their next move will be an attack on projand and the Baltic states, and Warsan and dispatches to the London papers and the lines to the belief that their next move will be an attack on Poland and the Baltic states, and Warsan and formidable forces, but not get in clock to the papers of the Constitution will be so amended as the lines to the constitution will be so amended as the lines to the constitution will be so amended as the lines to the constitution will be so amended as the lines to the constitution will be so amended as the lines to the constitution will be so amended as the lines of the constitution will be so amended as the lines of the constitution will be so amended as the lines of the constitution will be so amended as the lines of the lin will be a memorial room to Roger Millhiser. In it will be hung a portrait in oil which Mrs. Milloiser is now having done by a New York artist. Adjoining the entrance will be the office of the physical director and athletic ceach, and a room in which the trophies won by Richmond Coicege teams will be preserved.

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS FOR SENATE LEADER

Senator Smith Refrains From Voting and Carter Glass May Break Deadlock.

Way Break Deadlock.

(By Associated Prezs.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—Democratic Senators in caucus today failed to elect a leader. A deadlock on a tie vote developed between Senators Hitchcock, of Nebraska, and Underwood, of Alabama, and the caucus adjourned, subject to the call of the two candidates. Senator Underwood, in a statement, said that Senator Hitchcock's leadership of the minority in the peace treaty controversy was not involved, and that the Nebraska Senator would continue to have his loyal support on treaty questions.

questions.

The vote of Senator Smith would have broken the deadlock today, but the agreement to postpone final action until Secretary Glass was scated was said to have been reached without objection. Forty-three Senators were present, Forty-three Senators were present, the absentees being Senator Swanson, of Virginia, and Smith, of Arizona, who were paired, and Senator Johnson, of South Dakota. Senators Hitchcock and Underwood refrained from voting.

OPERATORS SAY COAL MINERS WILL NOT KEEP CONTRACTS

President's Commission Ends Formal Hearings and Adjourns to Study Evidence Taken.

Hearings and Adjourns to Study
Evidence Taken.

[III Associated Press.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—With the arguments of both miners and operators in the central competitive field completed, the coal-strike-settlement commission adjourned its formal sessions today until Monday, taking under advisement statements and statistical reports which had been filed in connection with arguments during the four days of discussion.

Phil H. Penna, of the Indiana Coal Operators' Association, closed the operators' statement today. There has been hirty-three years of collective bargaining in the coal industry, he said, but now the operators are convinced that the mine workers are irresponsible as an association, and will not keep the Penna formally asked the commission. In behalf of his associates, to consider methods of making its wage awards enforceable, even to the extent of recommending legislation to Congress.

B. Ils Eggs to B. ing Down Prices | FIFTH DISTRICT MAN

Friends of Judge Southall Announce His Withdrawal Before Caucus Meets.

FIGHT ON PETERS POSTPONED

Choice of Prohibition Commissioner Passed By-Other State Officers Renominated.

Congressman E. W. Saunders, of the Fifth District, was last night nominated by the joint Democratic caucus to succeed Judge Stafford G. Whittle, of Henry County, as judge of the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia. Nomination of a Commissioner of

Prohibition was passed by. These were the outstanding features of the caucus, which was called for the purpose of nominating a successor to Judge Whittle and other Circuit Court judges and four State officers.

Many Visitors in Galleries. That the matter of nominating Commissioner of Prohibition would

Commissioner of Prohibition would come before the caucus became known during the late afternooh, and the seats reserved for visitors in the gallery of the hall of the House of Delegates were filled some little time becore the hour scheduled for the deliberations to begin, in anticipation of a possible contest between the "dry" and "wet" forces.

Nomination of judges and other State officers out of the way, James H. Pr.ce, member of the House from the city of Richmond, and chairman of the caucus, asked for nominations for the office of Prohibition Commissioner.

Parke Deans, delegate from Isle of Wight, was on his feet before the last words had died on the lips of the chairman. He moved that the matter be passed by. An "aye" and "no" vote was taken, and the resolution was carried.

Speculation In Rife.

Delegate Deans is a supporter of Prohibition Commiss er J. Sidney Peters, and specular instantly was rife as to wh t prompted the "dry" forces in desiring the matter to go over

Commissioner Peters' term of office expires September 1, 1920. The Com-missioner of Prohibition is elected by the General Assembly for a period of the General Assembly
two years.
The matter of nominating a judge
of the Second Judicial Circuit and the
Corporation Court of Buena Vista also
Corporation Court of Buena Court will
went over. The last named court will
went over. went over. The last named court will become a Circuit Court, and Judge James L. McLemore, of the second circuit, the incumbent, has announced

d determination not to offer for re-election. The matter of selecting his successor will wait for a time. No Fight on State Officers. No Fight on State Officers.

State officers were renominated to succeed themselves, as follows:
Auditor of Public Accounts—Charles Lee Moore, of the city of Alexandria.
Second Auditor—Hosewell Page, of Hanover County.
Register of the Land Office—John W.
Richaruson.
Superintendent of Public Printing—Davis Bottom.

ENDS IN TIE VOTE

Superintendent of the City of Bristol—Judge Floyd H. Roberts, to succeed himself.

Corporation Court of the City of Succeed himself.

Corporation Court of the City of Succeed himself. Corporation Court of the City of Radford—Judge Robert L. Gardner, to succeed himself. Sixth Judicial Circuit—Judge Wil-liam R. Barksdale, to succeed him-

Tenth Judicial Circuit-Judge R. Tenth Judicial Circuit—Judge R. Carter Scott, to succeed himself.
Fourteenth Judicial Circuit—Judge D. Gardiner Tyler, to succeed himself.
Eighteenth Judicial Circuit—Judge Henry W. Holt, to succeed himself.
Twenty-Second Judicial Circuit—Judge Fulton Kegley, to succeed himself.

Judge Southall Quits Race. Friends of Judge Robert G. Southalt, of Amelia County, the only other contestant in the race for the seat vacated by the resignation of Judge Whittle, announced last night before the caucus that Judge Southall had withdrawn from the contest, declaring that he would not enter the caucus with only thirty-six votes pledged to

him.

The terms of judges nominated last night begin February 1. It was stated that the formality of election probably will take place not later than next will take place not later than next Friday.

Nominations for judges of the following courts, whose terms will not begin until next year, were not made ast night, although it was expected hey would be:

Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria. Incumbent, Judge Louis C. Bailey.

Corporation Court of the city of Charlottesville. Incumbent, Judge A. D. Dabney.

Corporation Court of the city of Danville. Incumbent, Judge E. Walton Brown.

ton Brown.
Corporation Court, Part I., of the city of Richmond. Incumbent, Judgo David C. Richardson.